

# City of Loma Linda Official Report

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**COUNCIL AGENDA:** 

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TO:

City Council

VIA:

Dennis R. Halloway, City Manager

FROM:

Rolland M. Crawford, Director of Public Safety/Fire Chief

SUBJECT:

September 2003 Department of Public Safety Monthly Report

#### 1. Fire & Rescue Division

The Department of Public Safety's Fire & Rescue Division responded to 211 incidents in September 2003. Alarm types are broken down as follows:

Incident Type	Month		YTD	
Medical Aid (MA)	136	64.5%	1182	61.2%
Traffic Collision (TC)	18	8.5%	132	6.8%
MA + TC	154	73.0%	1314	68.1%
Hazardous Material	1	0.5%	3	0.2%
Mutual/Automatic Aid	8	3.8%	111	5.8%
Public Assistance	3	1.4%	72	3.7%
Rescue	2	0.9%	6	0.3%
Structure Fire	1	0.5%	15	0.8%
Vegetation Fire	4	1.9%	16	0.8%
Vehicle Fire	3	1.4%	17	0.9%
Refuse Fire	0	0.0%	5	0.3%
All Fires	8	3.8%	53	2.7%
Other	8	3.8%	74	3.8%
False Alarm*	27	12.8%	297	15.4%

<sup>\*</sup>Note: Includes accidental activation, burnt food, good intent, system malfunction, malicious, etc.

Other September notes: The big event during September was the "Prado Fire" which began during the afternoon of Friday, September 12, east into the hills beyond the east end of Prado Lane. Due to uncertainty regarding the location, the initial dispatched response included fire units from Loma Linda, Colton, San Bernardino County Fire and CDF. The fire ultimately burned 125 acres, all of which, except for a portion on the southeast corner in San Bernardino County, was within the City Of Loma Linda. At the height of the incident, 31 pieces of fire apparatus, 3 helicopters, 1 dozer and a total of 142 personnel from 14 separate agencies were committed to the fire. Good work by the fire fighting crews, along with some cooperation from the wind and evening humidity, kept the fire away from residences located along the north slopes of the hills.

### 2. Community Safety Division

Code Enforcement – August 2003:

Public Nuisance	70	26%
Zoning	113	41%
Vehicle Violations	71	26%
Refuse Containers	5	2%
Business License	7	3%
Right-of-Way Violations	1	0%
Shopping Carts	6	2%
Building Code Violations	0	<b></b>
	273	
Training Events	1	
Community Meetings Attended	1	
Community Service	0	
Abandoned Vehicles Abated	2	
Citations Issued	0	

Zoning violations include business signs, yard sale signs, fence/wall permits, landscaping, prohibited land use. Right-of-Way violations include Basketball goals and skateboard ramps in the street.

Vehicle violations include abandoned, wrecked, inoperative vehicles, vehicle repair, parking on lawns, storage.

# Parking Control - September 2003:

## **Parking Citations**

Citation Type	Number	r \$ Value	<u>%</u>
Reparking	26	\$ 780.00	11%
\$30 Misc.	19	\$ 570.00	8%
Fire Hydrant	1	\$ 70.00	0%
Fire Lane	0	\$	0.0%
Handicap	0	\$	0.0%
Overtime	119	\$3,570.00	50%
Permit Parking	65	\$1,950.00	27%
Registration Tag	g 9	\$ 270.00	4%
	239	\$7,210.00	100.0%

Scofflaws (4) & Tows (6) \$2,272.00\* (\*Includes Administrative Fees.)

### **Parking Citation Appeals**

Written Appeals – Processing & Return Letter				
Appeal Accepted	10			
Appeal Denied	16			
Counter Voids				
Residential Permit	5			
Handicap Parking	1			
Vehicle License Registration Tag	4			
Medical	3			
Hearing Examiner Appeals	0			
Refunds (not liable, paid twice, etc.)	1			
Request from Rental Companies, forward to				
Responsible Party	1			
DMV Abstracts:	1			
Inquires regarding parking citations on an average day: 15				